



NEWS RELEASE

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

FULL FREEWAY CLOSURE OF ROUTE 14

PALMDALE – The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will close the Antelope Valley Freeway (Route 14) in the following areas **nightly** from Tuesday, July 12, to Friday, July 15:

Tuesday, July 12, from midnight to 2 a.m., southbound Route 14 from Palmdale Boulevard to Avenue S. Detour will be 10th Street west to southbound Route 14.

Tuesday, July 12, from midnight to 4 a.m., southbound Route 14 from Avenue P to Palmdale Boulevard. Detour will be 10th Street west to southbound Route 14.

Wednesday, July 13, from 1 a.m. to 3 a.m., northbound Route 14 from Pearblossom Highway from Avenue S. Detour will be Sierra Highway to northbound Route 14.

Wednesday, July 13, from 3 a.m. to 5 a.m., northbound Route 14 from Avenue S to Palmdale Boulevard. Detour will be 5th Street east to northbound Route 14 Avenue S on-ramp.

Thursday, July 14, from midnight to 4 a.m., southbound Route 14 from Palmdale Boulevard to Avenue S. Detour will be 10th Avenue west to northbound Route 14.

Thursday, July 14, from 1 a.m. to 5 a.m., northbound Route 14 from Pearblossom Highway to Avenue S. Detour will be Sierra Highway to Route 14 northbound Avenue S on-ramp.

Friday, July 15, from 1 a.m. to 3 a.m., southbound Route 14 from Palmdale Boulevard to Avenue S. Detour will be Sierra Highway to southbound Route 14 Avenue S on-ramp.

Friday, July 15, from 3 a.m. to 5 a.m., northbound Route 14 from Palmdale Boulevard to Avenue P. Detour will be 5th Street to northbound Route 14 Avenue P on-ramp.





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Friday, July 15, from midnight to 4 a.m., southbound Route 14 from Palmdale Boulevard to Avenue S. Detour will be 10th Street west to southbound Route 14.

Detour signs will be posted for all closures.

The closures are in relation to a 6.2- mile, \$41 million High Occupancy Vehicle (HOV) lane construction project from Mountain Springs Road to Avenue P-8. The project is expected to complete in spring 2007.

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